



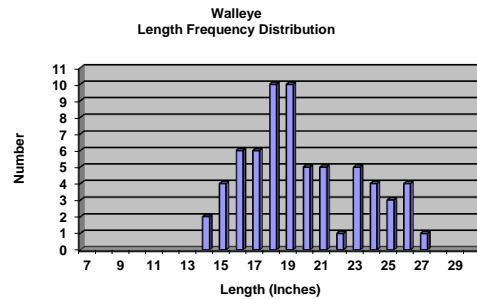
**WISCONSIN DNR
FISHERIES INFORMATION SHEET
LIPSETT LAKE, BURNETT COUNTY, 2016**

The WDNR conducted a fisheries assessment of Lipsett Lake, Burnett County, from March 26 to March 31, 2016.

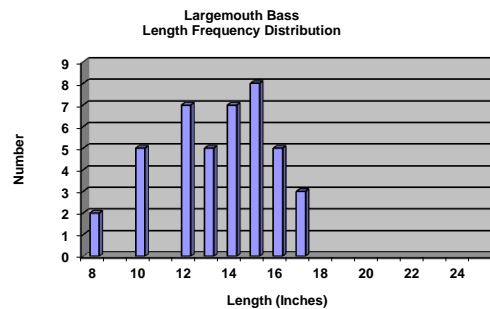
Lipsett Lake is a 393 acre drainage lake with a maximum depth of 24 feet. The walleye fishery is supported primarily through stocking (see stocking history summary). Lipsett Lake was estimated to contain 111 adult walleye or .3 fish per acre during the 2016 survey.



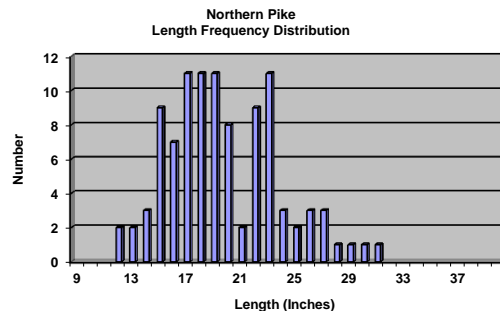
Walleye	
Total Captured	66
Avg. Length (in.)	19.7
Length Range (in.)	14-27
% >15"	97%



Largemouth Bass	
Total Captured	42
Avg. Length (in.)	13.4
Length Range (in.)	8-17
% >14"	55%



Northern Pike	
Total Captured	101
Avg. Length (in.)	19.7
Length Range (in.)	12-31
% >26"	10%



We are also conducting a creel (angler harvest) survey on Lipsett Lake this year. Creel clerk Lucas Pandow will count and interview anglers and examine their catch throughout the fishing season.

Stocking History

Year	Species	Number Fish Stocked	Avg Fish Length (IN)
2015	MUSKELLUNGE	124	12.1-12.4
2014	WALLEYE	13,945	2
2012	WALLEYE	1,965	8
2011	WALLEYE	4,001	2
2011	MUSKELLUNGE	196	10
2009	MUSKELLUNGE	196	9
2008	WALLEYE	13,770	1
2007	MUSKELLUNGE	105	12
2006	WALLEYE	37,835	1.7-2.3

A brief summary of selected fishing regulations is included below. While the regulatory information provided was current at the time the surveys were conducted, it is not comprehensive and should not be used as a substitute for the current fishing regulation pamphlet. You may obtain a copy of current fishing regulations when you purchase your fishing license, or download a copy from our web site at: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/fishing/regulations/>

General Fishing Regulations for Lipsett Lake, Burnett County, 2016

FISH SPECIES	OPEN SEASON	DAILY LIMIT	MINIMUM LENGTH
Walleye	May 07-March 05	3	15", 20-24" PROTECTED, 1>24"
Largemouth Bass	May 07-March 05	5*	NO MINIMUM
Smallmouth Bass	May 07-March 05	5*	NO MINIMUM
Muskellunge	May 28-November 30	1	40" MINIMUM
Northern Pike	May 07-March 05	5	NO MINIMUM

*During harvest season for each species; you are allowed a daily bag limit of five largemouth or smallmouth bass in total.

This report is interim only; data and findings should not be considered final. Results of creel surveys should be available by June of the year following the survey. If you are interested in a summary of the creel survey or want an update on this year's fyke netting and electrofishing survey results contact:

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To access other northern Wisconsin fisheries surveys go to: <http://dnr.wi.gov/> and search Ceded Territory Fisheries Reports.

For answers to questions about fisheries management activities and plans for Lipsett Lake, Burnett County contact:

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